

New Member of Department of Neighborhood Resources Team

Levonne Gaddy joined the Department of Neighborhood Resources in October as Community Services Manager overseeing graffiti prevention and removal, the City information lines, and neighborhood outreach. Prior to working for the City, Levonne spent five years as Director of PRO Neighborhoods, a partnership of the City of Tucson, Pima County, United Way and The Community Foundation for Southern Arizona.



“I am very happy to be working with Tucson neighborhoods and building on what I learned at PRO,” Levonne says. Her new work assignments include being a member of City Team South. While at PRO Neighborhoods, Levonne worked with South Park area residents’ to develop the new South Park Culture Center and planned a Fiesta de los Barrios celebration at Quincie Douglas Center in conjunction with South Park, Western Hills and Pueblo Garden neighborhoods. She worked with groups that received PRO neighborhood enhancement grants in many of the other City Team South neighborhoods.

When not at work, Levonne enjoys writing creative non-fiction and plays around with photography. “I have a Pentax's *ist DL digital camera, a Vacom Graphire tablet and an Epson Stylus printer that I use most for making greeting cards at home.” She and her husband have lived in Tucson for twelve years. “Tucson is definitely my home. I don’t want to live anywhere else,” she says as she recalls the overcast and cold temperatures of the northwestern Washington climate where she lived prior to moving to the southwest.